

WHAT IS CLAIMED IS:

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1. A contact terminal comprising:
a first connecting section for electrically
5 connecting with a terminal of a cable while pinching
said terminal, said first connecting section being
formed at one side of said contact terminal , and
a second connecting section for electrically
connecting with an electrode of a card while being in
10 contact with said electrode, said second connecting
section being formed at the other side continuous with
said first connecting section.
2. A contact terminal as defined in claim 1, wherein
15 a coupling section for coupling said first connecting
section to said second connecting section is provided
between said first and second connecting sections.
3. A contact terminal as defined in claim 2, wherein
20 said coupling section has coupling surfaces orthogonal
to each other and coupled to said first and second
connecting sections, respectively.

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- 25 4. A card connector having contact terminals,
comprising:
contact terminals, each having a first connecting
section for electrically connecting with a terminal of

into a groove formed over said card accommodation
portion and said cable connecting section.

7. A card connector having contact terminals as
defined in claim 6, wherein said coupling section of
said contact terminal is inserted into said groove in
said inserting direction of said card into said card
accommodation portion.

8. A card connector having contact terminals as
defined in claim 4, wherein said card is removably
accommodated in said card accommodation portion.

9. A card connector having contact terminals as
defined in claim 4, wherein a plurality of contact
terminals are provided in correspondence to a
plurality of electrodes in said card accommodated in
said card accommodation portion.

10. A card connector having contact terminals as
defined in claim 4, wherein said card is an elongate
type memory card.